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PM-1522(EPO and Taiwan)

Dear Antony:

EPO

I understand from our conversation of today that you will pay the examination fee for the EPO case on or before June 23.

I enclose draft claims 35-40, which are based on U.S. claims 53 to 57, for your consideration as additional claims for the EPO application.

Taiwan

I enclose a copy of page 3 from the April 30, 1992 Information Disclosure Statement, which was filed in the U.S. Patent Office. This page sets forth some of the differences between PM-1522 and the prior art cited by the Taiwanese Examiner (i.e., U.S. Re. 32,013 and U.S. 4,340,073).

I understand that you will consider modifying claims 1 and 19 to specify the expansion conditions (e.g.,

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temperature) in an effort to overcome the Tawainese Examiner's rejection that those claims are "vague and indefinite."

Very truly yours,

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